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**Subject:** RE: Explosion in Texas  
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Morning Steve -

May want to contact Monica Smith here in our Region - she knows the folks who have been investigating the explosion in West (city name not a direction), Texas. Steve Mason, our "normal" non-313 guy was in Arkansas on an oil pipeline break.

Hope this helps...see ya on the call tomorrow.

Mort

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**Subject:** Explosion in Texas

Dr. Mort,

We cosponsor a LEPC/TERC Emergency Planning and Response Conference every other year and have one this July in Kansas City. I am the Chair for the Conference Planning Committee.

Members of our State Emergency Management Agencies were wondering if you or someone down there could help us find someone to give a presentation on that explosion at the fertilizer plant.

Any ideas would be appreciated. Cold up here (40ish).

Steve



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